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- 20 DAYS

**2017/2018 FIVB BEACH VOLLEYBALL WORLD TOUR 3 STAR
MERSIN, TURKEY**



EVENT'S REGULATIONS

This form must be approved by the FIVB 30 days before the start of the event and sent out -20 days by the Organizers to all participating NFs, FIVB Sponsors and FIVB Delegates via e-mail.

Promoter Web site link to the event: plaj.tvf.org.tr
Event Social media accounts: [facebook/twitter/instagram](#)

FIVB Web site link to the event: <http://worldtour.2018.fivb.com/en/571>

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VENUE

MERSIN KIZ KALESİ BEACH (Maiden's Castle Beach) / Mersin / Turkey

Address: Akdeniz Mahallesi, Güneş Sk., 33790 Kızkalesi /Erdemli/Mersin

Deniz Kızı Corporation Tel: +90 324 237 49 53

Website (if any): CLICK [HERE](#) TO GO TO WEB SITE

Training courts

Number of training courts	2
Address	Akdeniz Mahallesi, Güneş Sk., 33790 Kızkalesi Erdemli/Mersin
Availability Date	29th of April
Contact person for booking the courts	Şara Altürk Email: sara.alturk@tvf.org.tr Mobile: +905425821252

COMPETITION SCHEDULE AND FORMAT

Qualification

Gender	Number of teams in Qualification	Number of teams advancing to Main Draw	Qualification format
M & W	32 teams	8	SINGLE ELIMINATION

Main Draw

Gender	Number of teams in Main Draw	Competition format for Main Draw
M & W	32 teams	Modified Pool Play + Single Elimination

Competition Phase	Date for Men & Women
Country Quota Play Off (if applicable)	1 May 2018
Qualification	2 May 2018
Main Draw Tournament	Wednesday, May 3rd - Saturday, May 5th
Quarter Finals	Saturday, May 5th
Semi-Finals	Sunday, May 6th
Finals	Sunday, May 6th

MEN'S SCHEDULE

	DATE	TIME (approximate)	LOCATION
Country Quota Playoff (if any)	1 May 2018	1 May 2018	Venue
Latest arrival of Qualification Teams	1 May 2018	17:00 - 19:00	Venue - Competition Office
Preliminary Inquiry Qualification Teams (Mandatory Attendance)	1 May 2018	17:00 – 19:00	Venue- Competition Office
Qualification Tournament	2 May 2018	11:20	Venue
Departure of teams knocked out in the Qualification	3 May 2018	17:00	
Latest arrival of Main Draw Teams	2 May 2018	17:00 - 19:00	Venue
Preliminary Inquiry Main Draw teams (Mandatory Attendance)	2 May 2018	17:00 - 19:00	Venue- Competition Office
Main Draw Tournament	3 May-5 May 2018	11:20	Venue
Quarter Finals	5 May 2018	15:00	Venue
Semi-Finals	6 May 2018	11:30	Venue
Finals	6 May 2018	17:00	Venue

WOMEN'S SCHEDULE

	DATE	TIME (approximate)	LOCATION
Country Quota Playoff (if any)	1 May 2018	1 May 2018	Venue
Latest arrival of Qualification Teams	1 May 2018	8:00 – 19:00	Venue
Preliminary Inquiry Qualification Teams (Mandatory Attendance)	1 May 2018	17:00 – 19:00	Venue- Competition Office
Qualification Tournament	2 May 2018	8:00	Venue
Departure of teams knocked out in the Qualification	3 May 2018	17:00-19:00	Venue- Competition Office
Latest arrival of Main Draw Teams	2 May 2018	17:00 - 19:00	Venue
Preliminary Inquiry Main Draw teams (Mandatory Attendance)	2 May 2018	17:00 – 19:00	Venue- Competition Office
Main Draw Tournament	3 May-5 May 2018	8:00	Venue
Quarter Finals	5 May 2018	13:00	Venue
Semi-Finals	6 May 2018	9:30	Venue
Finals	6 May 2018	16:00	Venue

Departure of Main Draw teams will be the day after elimination of the team from the tournament.

A drawing of lots will be carried out in the same room where the Preliminary Inquiry is held, place the teams in the bracket in accordance with the Sport Regulation.

Finalized seeding list and the match up & additional detailed information on the competition will be distributed on the FIVB website immediately once the seeding list is established, possibly within 1 hour after the completion of the Preliminary Inquiry or eventually after the drawing of lots (if applicable).

RANKING (PER ATHLETE)

Rank	3*
1st	300
2nd	270
3rd	240
4th	210
5th	180
7th	N/A
9th	150
13th	N/A
17th	120
19th	N/A
21st	N/A
25th	90
31st	N/A
33rd	60
37th	N/A
41st	15

PRIZE MONEY (PER TEAM)

For an event offering USD 75'000, the following breakdown applies (per gender in USD):
The Prize Money of the event will be paid by FIVB.

FIVB WT (Star3) Mersin 2018

FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour (3-star)			<i>per gender in USD</i>
Rank	Number of teams	Prize Money Per team	Prize Money per Rank Place
1st	1	10'000	10'000
2nd	1	8'000	8000
3rd	1	5'000	5000
4th	1	4'000	4000
5th	4	3'000	12'000
9th	8	2'000	16'000
13th	8	1'500	12'000
25th	8	1'000	8'000
TOTAL			75000

Event	Date	Payment due date
FIVB WT (Star3) Mersin 2018	2-6 May 2018	21 st May 2018

Note:

If Prize Money is paid by the FIVB or promoter via bank transfer, in case of unsuccessful payment, after three (3) attempts to contact the athlete, the FIVB Finance Department will send an official letter (to the NF and to the athlete) to inform them of the money transfer to the respective NF that will be debited within the following 5-10 days. In case of no response, the athlete's VISASP account is then debited and the FIVB Finance Department informs the FIVB IT Department to book the payment in VISASP.

The athlete is responsible for paying the relevant taxes for his/her earnings in his/her own country and he/she must update both his/her bank account details and his/her personal information at the beginning of the contract year through the FIVB Beach Volleyball web based system.

The tax at source might be implemented as per the fiscal regulations/laws in the countries where the tournament is held.

WELCOME AND LOCAL TRANSPORTATION

Closest Airport: ADANA ŞAKİRPAŞA AIRPORT (ADA)

Distance from airport to venue: 143 KM

Local Transportation from AIRPORT will be provided to ALL ATHLETES (main draw and qualification). LOC organizer will do their best to help other accompanying persons in the same shuttle.

Deadline for Transfers request: APRIL 30th, 2018. Requests after this date may not be fulfilled due to late notice.

Accompanying persons is under their own responsibility.

Local transportation from the airport is possible by paid buses.

BOARD AND LODGING

The organizers will provide the Main Draw teams with hotel accommodation (double room) in the Organizer's designated hotel and with meals from the evening before the start of the Main Draw until the day after the elimination of the teams from the event, breakfast included.

Athletes will be personally responsible for all extras at the hotel such as mini-bar, phone calls, laundry, etc. to be paid upon checkout.

Organizers will not be required to make reservations for coaches, guests, teams' physiotherapists, friends, or family members accompanying the participating athletes.

The FIVB strongly recommends that the organizers accommodate athletes in different hotels than the hotel for the FIVB officials and referees.

MAIN DRAW HOTEL

Women's Hotel: SÜZER RESORT HOTEL

Address: Atakent Mahallesi, A. Türkeş Bul. 153/2B, 33940, SİLİFKE / MERSİN / TURKEY

Tel:+90(0324) 722 3223 GSM: +90542 557 0082

General Manager: Ramazan

Website: <http://www.suzerresorthotel.com>

Distance from the airport:143 KM (1 hour 45 min)

Distance from the venue: 11 KM (13 min)

Men's Hotel: EYLÜL HOTEL

Address: Kızkalesi Mah. No: 28, SİLİFKE / MERSİN / TURKEY

Tel: +90(0324) 523 24 16 GSM: +90542 557 0082

Website: <http://www.suzerresorthotel.com>

Distance from the airport:143 KM (1 hour 45 min)

Distance from the venue: 200 m

RECOMMENDED HOTELS FOR QUALIFICATION TEAMS

Women's Hotel: SÜZER RESORT HOTEL

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Website: <http://www.suzerresorthotel.com>

Distance from the airport:143 KM (1 hour 45 min)

Distance from the venue: 200 m

Hotel for the FIVB Officials, Neutral International Referees, etc.: SÜZER RESORT HOTEL

Address: Atakent Mahallesi, A. Türkeş Bul. 153/2B, 33940, SİLİFKE / MERSİN / TURKEY

Tel:+90(0324) 722 3223 GSM: +90542 557 0082

General Manager: Ramazan

Website: <http://www.suzerresorthotel.com>

Distance from the airport:143 KM (1-hour 45 min)

Distance from the venue: 11 KM (13 min)

Hotel for the Auxiliary Officials & Court Personnel: EYLÜL HOTEL

Address: Kızkalesi Mah. No: 28, SİLİFKE / MERSİN / TURKEY

Tel: +90(0324) 523 24 16 GSM: +90542 557 0082

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VISA

Athletes (or their National Federations) will be requested to apply early enough for their entry visas, whenever needed and will be accountable for all visa expenses. For any enquiry regarding your visa application and invitation letter, please contact:

Contact Name: Şara Altürk

Email: sara.alturk@tvf.org.tr

Mobile number: +905425821252

WITHDRAWAL

We strongly suggest you read the Sport Regulations regarding the rules, regulations and fines applied for the withdrawals at

http://www.fivb.org/EN/BeachVolleyball/Document/2018/2018_FIVB_BVB_Sports_Regulations_V.14.03.2018.pdf

Non-compliance to the regulations will be subject to the fines and sanctions as per the Sports Regulations.

SEEDING

Please refer to the Sports Regulation for information regarding the Seeding regulation of each category at :

http://www.fivb.org/EN/BeachVolleyball/Document/2018/2018_FIVB_BVB_Sports_Regulations_V.14.03.2018.pdf

NO SHOWS

Detailed information regarding the No Show and related fines is available in the Sport Regulations at

http://www.fivb.org/EN/BeachVolleyball/Document/2018/2018_FIVB_BVB_Sports_Regulations_V.14.03.2018.pdf

LATE ARRIVAL

Detailed information regarding the late arrivals and related fines is available in the Sport Regulations at

http://www.fivb.org/EN/BeachVolleyball/Document/2018/2018_FIVB_BVB_Sports_Regulations_V.14.03.2018.pdf

PLAYERS' ELIGIBILITY

All athletes participating in an FIVB beach volleyball sanctioned event must:

- Hold the citizenship of the country they represent;
- Register with their respective NF;
- Register with the FIVB through their respective NF;
- Submit the 2017-2018 Beach Volleyball NF-Athlete's Commitment (BVB-01) signed by the NF and the athlete minimum 30 days before the first event's participation in 2017 season;
- Submit an annual health certificate (BVB-10) minimum 30 days before the first event's participation in 2017/2018 season.
- Undertake the FIVB Anti-Doping education program "Play clean!" For further information, please access FIVB online Anti-Doping education program here: <http://www.fivb.org/RealWinner>
- Complete and modify his/her personal data (such as his/her exact coordinates, bank account information, etc.) through the FIVB beach volleyball Web based application system (<http://www.fivb.org/visasp>)

UNIFORM AND ACCESSORIES

- UNIFORMS (TOPS) WILL BE DISTRIBUTED AT THE PRELIMINARY INQUIRY.
- EACH PLAYER WILL RECEIVE 2 COLORS OF UNIFORMS UNTIL SEMI FINAL MATCHES.
- NEW UNIFORMS WILL BE GIVEN FOR SEMI FINALS, 3RD PLACE & FINAL MATCHES.
- **PLEASE KEEP ALL YOUR UNIFORMS WITH YOU AT THE TOURNAMENT SITE ALL THE TIME.**
- SHORTS and OTHER ACCESSORIES WILL BE CHECKED AT THE PRELIMINARY INQUIRY.

If required by the FIVB Technical Delegate, uniforms and accessories will be checked during the Preliminary Inquiry. Athletes of the same team must wear the same colour and style of shorts. The display of the individual players' sponsors' logos on shorts and accessories must comply with the FIVB advertising regulations. While players' tops will be provided by the Organizers to the athletes, shorts/bottoms and accessories must be provided by the players and/or by their sponsors.

ACCREDITATION

Organizers will provide all Organizing Committee members, FIVB Officials, referees, athletes, VIPs, journalists, technical staff, court personnel, volunteers, etc. with an official accreditation card and will ensure that only people with appropriate accreditation will access the designated venue areas.

Organizers are also requested to provide accreditation cards for one coach and one physiotherapist per team. The appropriate forms (for coaches and physiotherapists) are available at the following link:

<http://www.fivb.org/EN/BeachVolleyball/Forms.asp>

INSURANCE

Athletes must have their own liability and medical insurance.

MEDICAL CONTROLS

The FIVB reserves the right to perform random medical controls on the participating athletes and alcohol tests on the officials, as per FIVB rules and regulations

APPENDIX

- Official invitation letter to be addressed to the participating FIVB officials and National Federations
- Confirmed Entry List (Main Draw, Qualification tournaments and teams in the Reserve)
- Travel Itinerary Form (BVB/31 and BVB/31b).

Athletes are responsible to inform the organizer concerned about their travel itinerary.

OTHER

For any eventual discrepancies, the 2018 version of the FIVB Beach Volleyball Sport Regulations and the 2018 FIVB Beach Volleyball Handbook will prevail.